

riated, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) to be expended by the board of control in executing the requirements of this act during the current calendar year, and a further sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for such expenses during the year 1904. The expenditures under this act shall not exceed the sums herein appropriated unless the amount shall be increased pursuant to the provisions of section 563 of the statutes of 1898.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 433.

AN ACT to exempt from taxation highway bridges across the St. Croix and Mississippi rivers.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Bridges exempt from taxation, location of. SECTION 1. So much of any bridge across the St. Croix or Mississippi rivers, together with the necessary highways and approaches thereto as lies in this state and is open to the general public for highway purposes, whether toll be charged thereon or not, owned exclusively by any county, city, village or town in this state or in the state of Minnesota, or owned jointly by any county, city, village or town, together with any other county, city, village or town in either of said states, shall be exempt from taxation.

When to apply. SECTION 2. This act shall apply to the assessment of 1903.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved May 22, 1903.